

THE WEATHER  
OKLAHOMA—Tuesday unsettled in east, fair in west portion, cooler in east and central portions, Wednesday fair, warmer in west portion.  
TULSA, Sept. 12.—Maximum 90, minimum 71; southwest winds, cloudy.

# TULSA WORLD

PROSPERITY TALK  
In a season of the year when the optimistic people would rather talk of prosperity for good crops than point to the bank clerks' Julia again, leads the financial world.

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## MAINE LEADS COUNTRY TOWARDS SWEEPING REPUBLICAN VICTORY

### MOST PERFECT FAIR IN TULSA HISTORY READY

Buildings, Grounds and Attractions Will Prove Revelation.

### THE GATES ARE TO BE THROWN OPEN TODAY

Frisco Shuttle Trains and Automobiles Will Convey the Public.

THE most complete fair in Tulsa's history will be turned over to the public today when the third annual Tulsa County Free fair, financed by the county government and legalized by state legislative act, will throw open its gates.

All day yesterday exhibits were piling into the handsome group of buildings east of the city known as the Dry-Fanning Congress grounds. The buildings have been repaired, remodeled and decorated until they are as good as any similar structures in the state. Several thousand additional feet of floor space has been utilized this year but in practically every department the entry lists are full. In the three live stock buildings particularly, the entries have exceeded all expectations and the pure-bred stock that will be seen today and the rest of the week will convince the most skeptical that this great industry has gained a firm foothold in the county. The horse building proved inadequate before nightfall yesterday and workers were set to the task of putting in another row of stalls. The same is true of the swine and sheep pavilion and the cattle building.

### Trains Start Today

The Frisco railroad will begin the operation of shuttle trains at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The trains will leave the Frisco station on Main street at intervals of thirty minutes every afternoon and night during the fair. There is a paved street to the entrance of the grounds and preparations have been made for an unusually heavy flow of private automobile traffic. The Frisco will charge a 10-cent fare for adults and 5 cents for children and can easily haul one thousand persons an hour.

While the gates will be opened at 12 o'clock, the fair will not officially open until 2 o'clock. Secretary N. R. Graham and President W. A. Rayson, who were at the grounds all day yesterday supervising the installation of exhibits along with other members of the board of directors, did not know last night whether there would be a formal opening exercise or not.

### Farm Implements

The place is lined with all sorts of concessions, and with a great display of farm implements. The Hale Implement company, Lon Stansberry and O. D. Hunt all have big exhibits of farm machinery and will give tractor demonstrations on the ground each afternoon. Plows are flying from the main gate and the roof of every building and the interiors are elaborately decorated.

The kaffir corn palace, largest frame building in Oklahoma, presents a beautiful spectacle inside. The walls have been whitewashed and the decorations are unusually beautiful. Merchants and manufacturers have lined their booths around the interior. Sawdust covers the floor, with a large walking space in the center. There is a Christian Science rest room just inside the main entrance, as well as a refreshment booth put in by the Broken Arrow Presbyterian Aid society. The public schools of the county have an interesting exhibit on the west side of the building. On the south end are the screened booths where the judging will occur in the foster babies contest. There is a big display of canned fruit and other products of the kitchen, as well as a big showing of art and needlework. Among the mercantile and professional exhibits are those of Bumgarner & Downing, Purdy Ice Cream company, A. L. Watt, rubber goods; Robinson folding bathtub, Upp Wholesale Grocery company, Jenkins Music company, with the largest phonograph ever made; Hofstra Manufacturing company, who will give away samples of insect powder and give fly killing demonstrations hourly; Kerr Glass company of San Francisco, Middle West Bakery, Allen & Thiele, Lena Cheney, pet dogs, birds and rabbits; Holy Family Catholic school; Darrow Music company, Singer Sewing machine company and Tulsa Business college.

**Big Auto Display.**  
In the automobile building every inch of space is taken, and all the new model standard cars will be shown. Among the exhibitors in this building are the Haynes com-

### TULSA TO GIVE FAIRBANKS BIG TIME TOMORROW

Vice-Presidential Candidate to Spend Forenoon in the City.

### PUBLIC RECEPTION STARTS AT 10 A. M.

Will Speak on High School Grounds at 11; Then Rotary Lunch.

PEOPLE from all parts of Tulsa county will come to the city tomorrow to meet and hear Charles W. Fairbanks, Republican candidate for vice-president, who will spend the forenoon here.

### Big Bridge Falls Taking Eleven Men

Structure Being Erected Drops Into Two Hundred Feet of Water.

### RIVER WAS CROWDED

Thousands Gathered to See Spectacle of Success, Which Failed.

QUEBEC, Que., Sept. 11.—With the loss of 11 lives today, the second attempt to bridge the St. Lawrence river here resulted in a failure when the massive center span, weighing 5,100 tons, suddenly collapsed and fell into the river. Of the ninety men caught on the span when it began to sway all were rescued except 11 and of these only four bodies have been found.

The span was being raised from pontoons and was 15 feet above the water when from some unknown cause it collapsed and sank into the river, which is two hundred feet deep at this place.

### WILL HELP PUPILS WHO ARE IN SCHOOL

Principal Katz Says Efforts Will Be Made to Assist Those Needing It.

To help in every way the boy who is forced to work while attending high school, authorities have made specific rules regarding concessions to be tendered the boys. The chief privilege which will be granted is that the boys may arrange to have all their classes in the morning or afternoon so that they may work the other half day.

### 1,000 People for 3 Cents

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING DEPENDS A GREAT DEAL ON WHERE AND HOW YOU SPEND YOUR MONEY.

### A FEW DAYS AGO A TULSA MERCHANT SAID TO ONE OF THE TULSA WORLD'S ADVERTISING MEN: "YOUR RATES ARE SO HIGH I CAN'T AFFORD TO ADVERTISE WITH YOU."

WELL, MR. ADVERTISER, OUR ADVERAGE DISPLAY RATE IS 50 CENTS AN INCH—16,000 GUARANTEED CIRCULATION—JUST THINK, ONLY ABOUT THREE CENTS PER INCH A THOUSAND.

MR. ADVERTISER HESITATED, THEN SAID: "MY GOODNESS, I HAVE BEEN PAYING 20 CENTS AN INCH FOR SOME ADVERTISING AND THE PUBLICATION, I KNOW, HASN'T ONE THOUSAND SUBSCRIBERS."

THIS ADVERTISER JUST REALIZED THAT HE WAS PAYING A RATE ABOUT SIX TIMES HIGHER THAN THE TULSA WORLD.

THERE ARE SO MANY GRAFTING ADVERTISING SCHEMES IMPOSED ON TULSA MERCHANTS THAT THEY SHOULD CONSIDER THE CHARGE ONLY ON A BASIS OF 80 MUCH PER INCH PER THOUSAND "KNOWN" SUBSCRIBERS.

Young Men "Horse Shy."  
The discovery is being made that many young men who have reached manhood in the last ten years do not know how to harness and attach the horse to the buggy, crank the wheel, step on the horse starter, engage the clutch and get across the country under one horsepower. — Minneapolis Journal.

Victory at Any Price.  
The lawyer—"The precedents are against you, madam."  
The lady—"Well, sue them too, then." — Boston Transcript.

### COAL STRIKE ENDS THROUGH OKLAHOMA

DEMANDS OF THE MINERS ARE GRANTED AT MEETING IN MUSKOGEE LAST NIGHT.

Scale Committees Chosen and Agreements Will Be Drawn Up As Soon As Possible.

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Sept. 11.—The increase in wages demanded by the coal miners of Oklahoma was granted tonight at a meeting of the Oklahoma Coal Operators association, held here.

Thirty-seven of the 42 coal producers in the state representing a production of 3,800,000 tons of coal annually, or about 95 per cent of all the coal mined in the state, were present at the meeting. Scale committees were chosen for the purpose of handling the wage negotiations.

### STREET CAR TRAVEL IN N. Y. SUSPENDED

Surface Traffic at a Standstill as a Result of the Big Strike.

### MAY BE A DEADLOCK

Organization Leaders Predict Sympathetic Strike Throughout City.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—With surface car transit virtually at a standstill in Manhattan, the Bronx, Yonkers and parts of Westchester county and with subway and elevated facilities affected more than at any time since the Interborough Rapid Transit strike was called last Thursday, the traction situation in New York tonight assumed a more serious aspect.

Labor leaders held conferences during the day on the question of seeking a sympathetic strike among various organizations.

### GUTHRIE DOCTOR KILLS SELF

Fires Bullet Into Temple While in a State of Despondency.

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GUTHRIE, Sept. 11.—Dr. J. P. Douthett, a prominent veterinarian of Guthrie, shot a bullet into his temple early Saturday morning, killing himself instantly. He has been having various kinds of trouble recently, and is believed to have been unbalanced for a few days. He leaves no family, and was 42 years old.

### RUSSIANS LOST GROUND IN LIPA RIVER BATTLES

Germans, Too, Have Been Repulsed in Fighting Along Somme.

### ITALIANS USING HEAVY ARTILLERY

In the Rumanian Theater Austrians Retreating in Moros Valley.

FOR the first time in many days Monday proved a day without spectacular feature in some of the various war theaters. On none of the fronts was a crushing blow delivered by any of the belligerents and none here between representatives of districts 14, 21 and 25 United Mine Workers of America and the Southwestern Interstate Coal Operators association trying for an agreement on wages and working conditions.

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